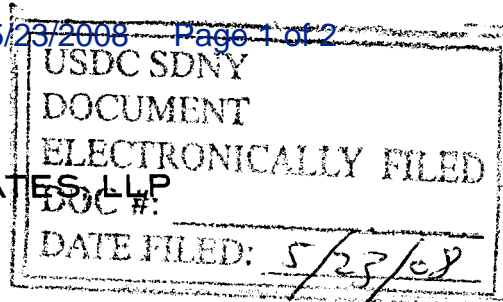


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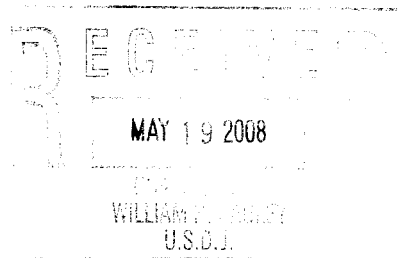
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BBC Chartering & Logistic GmbH v.
Usiminas Mecanica S/A, et al.
Docket No.: 08-CV-00200 (WHP)
Our File: 392-2

Dear Judge Pauley:

This firm represents Defendants Perini O&G, Perini Corporation and O&G Industries, Inc. (collectively "Perini") in the above-referenced matter. In that regard, I write to respectfully request an amendment to Your Honor's Scheduling Order of April 18, 2008.

The counsels for all parties have consented to a two-week extension to the time to serve the parties' motions, to March 30, 2008. In so far as the extension reduces the Plaintiff BBC Chartering's time to conduct jurisdictional discovery, the parties agree and request that Your Honor amend the Scheduling Order to reflect a two-week extension on all respective deadlines.

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Thank you for your courtesies.

Respectfully submitted,

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Application granted.
SO ORDERED:


WILLIAM H. PAULEY III U.S.D.J.

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Defendants shall serve their motions by May 30, 2008.

Plaintiff shall complete jurisdictional discovery by July 11, 2008.

Defendants shall file their motions by July 11, 2008.

Plaintiff shall serve and file its opposition by August 1, 2008.

Defendants shall serve and file any replies by August 15, 2008.

Oral argument will remain on August 22, 2008 at 10:30 a.m.